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Examiner: Kristen L. Droesch

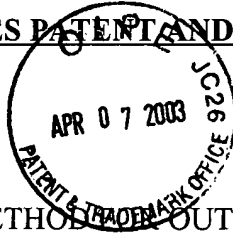
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2002, detailed comments to the Office Action are found in the Remarks section below. Amendments to the specification and claims are found in the following Amendments section.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a 2-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from February 20, 2003 to April 20, 2003.